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SUBJECT: RHODESIA SANCTIONS - INGO-20 - PROMOTION OF

TOURISM TO SOUTHERN RHODESIA BY A US FIRM

1. AT THE REQUEST OF THE RHODESIA SANCTIONS COMMITTEE, SECRETARY GENERAL HAS TRANSMITTED A NOTE TO MISSION DATED JUNE 8 REQUESTING MORE DEFINITE ASSURANCE FROM USG THAT THE AMERICAN FIRM TRANSPORTATION CONSULTANTS INTERNATIONAL (ALSO REFERRED TO AS TRAVEL CONSULTANTS INTERNATIONAL) HAS ACTUALLY TERMINATED ITS ACTIVITIES REGARDING RHODESIA. THE COMMITTEE ALSO REQUESTS DETAILS ON ACTIVITIES OF MR. DEREK EBBEN, GENERAL MANAGER OF RHODESIAN UNITED TOURING CO. TEXT OF NOTE FOLLOWS PARA 3.

2. MISSION WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S INSTRUCTIONS RE RESPONSE TO COMMITTEE'S INQUIRY.

3. TEXT FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT:

- THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS PRESENTS HIS COMPLIMENTS TO THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNCLASSIFIED

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND, AT THE REQUEST OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED IN PURSUANCE OF RESOLUTION 253 (1968) CONCERNING THE QUESTION OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA, HAS THE HONOUR TO COMMUNICATE TO HIM THE FOLLOWING.

- DURING ITS RECENT REVIEW OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CASE

THE COMMITTEE'S ATTENTION WAS DRAWN TO THE STATEMENTS MADE TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE CASE BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES AT THE 286TH AND 302ND MEETINGS. THE COMMITTEE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING FROM HIS EXCELLENCY'S GOVERNMENT MORE DEFINITE ASSURANCE, IF AVAILABLE, THAT THE FIRM TRANSPORTATION CONSULTANTS INTERNATIONAL HAS ACTUALLY STOPPED THE OBJECTIONABLE ACTIVITIES, WHICH GAVE RISE TO THE CASE. THE COMMITTEE WOULD ALSO WELCOME ANY DETAILS ON MR. DEREK EBBEN, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE RHODESIAN UNITED TOURING COMPANY, PARTICULARLY THE MEANS OF HIS ENTRY INTO THE UNITED STATES AND THE RANGE OF HIS ACTIVITIES, WHICH MIGHT HAVE COME TO LIGHT DURING INVESTIGATION OF THE MATTER BY THE UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES, AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES INDICATED IN HIS STATEMENT AT THE 286TH MEETING.

- THE COMMITTEE EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT IT MIGHT RECEIVE HIS EXCELLENCY'S REPLY ON THE FOREGOING AT THE EARLIEST CONVENIENCE, IF POSSIBLE WITHIN A MONTH.

8 JUNE 1978. END TEXT. YOUNG

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